

HOUSE BILL 536:Loggerhead Turtle/State Saltwater Reptile.

2023-2024 General Assembly

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House

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OVERVIEW: House Bill 536 would adopt the loggerhead sea turtle as the official saltwater reptile of the State of North Carolina.

CURRENT LAW: Chapter 145 of the General Statutes contains a list of State symbols and other official adoptions.

BILL ANALYSIS: House Bill 536 would add a new section in Chapter 145 designating the loggerhead sea turtle as the official saltwater reptile of the State of North Carolina.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The act would be effective when it becomes law.

